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RE: MCI Communication Services d/b/a Telecom*USA. SC PSC Tariff No. 1
Docket No.: 2005-299-C

Dear Mr. Duke:

As per the above referenced Docket Number, MCI is hereby filing and original and two copies of the following tariff:

MCI COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES D/B/A TELECOM*USA, SC PSC Tariff No. 1.
(formerly MCI WorldCom Network Services, Inc. D/B/A Telecom*USA. SC PSC Tariff No. 1)

MCI is requesting an effective date of April 14, 2006.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at 770-284-5534.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "Aneitra Jones", is written over the typed name.

Aneitra Jones
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Enclosure

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

MCI NETWORK SERVICES, INC. D/B/A TELECOM*USA
GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
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CONCURRING, CONNECTING OR
OTHER PARTICIPATING CARRIERS

1. Concurring Carriers – SouthernNet Services, Inc.
2. Connecting Carriers –

AT&T of the Southern States
Southern Bell Telephone Company
SouthernNet Southeast, Inc.
3. Other Participating Carriers – (none)

SYMBOLS, REFERENCE MARKS
AND ABBREVIATIONS

- (R) to signify reduced rates
- (I) to signify increased rates
- (C) to signify changed regulation
- (T) to signify a change in text but no change in rate or regulation
- (S) to signify reissued material
- (N) to signify new rate or regulation
- (Z) to signify a correction
- (M) to signify matter relocation without change
- (D) to signify discontinued rate or regulation

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SECTION I
DEFINITION OF TERMSA. Definitions

1. ACCESS LINE: A dedicated arrangement from the local telephone company or common carrier which connects a customer location to Carrier's location or switching center.
2. ACCOUNT CODE: A three (3) digit code entered by the caller to associate the telephone call with a particular department, project, cost center or client.
3. AUTHORIZATION CODE: A numerical code, one or more of which are assigned to a customer, to enable the Carrier to identify use of service on the customer's account and to bill the customer accordingly for such service. Multiple authorization codes may be assigned to a customer to identify individual users or groups of users on his account.
4. BASIC SERVICE: The Carrier's message toll service offered to residential and commercial or business customers under this tariff.
5. CARRIER OR COMPANY: SoutherNet of South Carolina, Inc., unless specifically stated otherwise.
6. CHARGEABLE TIME: Chargeable time is determined by the duration of the call. Chargeable time begins when the connection is established between the calling station and the called station. The time at the beginning of each minute of the connection determines the applicable rate period. Chargeable time ends when the calling party hangs up and the carrier receives a disconnect signal from the local exchange telephone company. Call duration includes a local exchange telephone company call processing time additive, not to exceed .1 of one minute.

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SECTION I
DEFINITION OF TERMS (Continued)A. Definitions (Continued):

7. COMMERCIAL SERVICE: A switched network service which provides for dial station originations for which the subscriber pays a rate that is described as a business or commercial rate in the applicable local exchange service tariff for switched service.
8. CUSTOMER OR SUBSCRIBER: The person, company, firm, corporation or other entity which orders or uses service and is responsible for the payment of charges and compliance with tariff regulations.
9. POINT OF DESTINATION: The telephone number called.
10. POINT OF ORIGINATION: The station (telephone) from which the customer initiates a call through the Carrier's switch.
11. PREMISES: The space designated by the customer as his residence or place of business for termination of the Carrier's service.
12. RECOGNIZED HOLIDAYS: New Years Day, July 4, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day.

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SECTION I
DEFINITION OF TERMS (Continued)A. Definitions (Continued):

13. RESIDENTIAL SERVICE: A switched network service which provides for dial station originations for which the subscriber pays a rate that is described as a residential, non-commercial, or non-business rate in the applicable local exchange service tariff for switched service.
14. VOLUME BILLING DISCOUNTS: For certain service offerings the Carrier may provide discounts based upon monthly usage billing volume. Such discounts may be cumulative or incremental in nature.
- a) Cumulative discounting applies a usage level discount to total usage billed.
- b) Incremental discounting applies specific discounts to each level of usage billed.

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SECTION I
DEFINITION OF TERMS (Continued)A. DEFINITIONS (Continued)

15. CALL BLOCKING: Without notice, the Company may block calls to or from certain countries, country codes, cities, city codes, NXX exchanges, individual telephone stations, groups or ranges of individual telephone stations or calls that use certain authorization codes, whenever the Company deems it necessary to take such action to prevent: (a) the unlawful use of service; (b) fraud; (c) nonpayment for service; (d) the use of service in violation of the requirements of this Tariff; or (e) Company network blockage or the degradation of service furnished to the Customer or to other customers; or when actions taken by foreign governments or foreign telecommunications agencies, or responsive actions taken by the U. S. Government or any instrumentality thereof, render it impossible or impracticable to provide service. The Company will unblock as soon as it determines it can do so without undue risk, and it will, upon request by an affected Customer, assign new authorization codes to replace any that were deactivated. Whenever call blocking occurs on lines presubscribed to the Company, Customers or former Customers will be unable to make calls via any of the Company's CICs or those of its affiliates. At the request of a private payphone owner, the Company will arrange to block direct dial (i.e., completed without the assistance of an operator) calls made from a payphone to Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands and to all international locations, except Canada. The Company may refuse to accept calling or credit card, collect calling and/or third number calls which it determines are or may be fraudulent, or it may limit the use of these billing options to or from certain countries or areas, including all or part of the United States, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

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APPLICABILITY

Effective August 1, 2001, pursuant to the direction of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC), MCI Network Services, Inc d/b/a Telecom*USA is canceling its federal tariffs for services with certain exceptions, including those pertaining to exchange access, casual calling, and basic long distance service during a 45-day period for customers who sign up for MCI Network Services, Inc d/b/a Telecom*USA service with a Local Exchange Carrier (LEC). International services for Residential and Small Business customers will also remain tariffed through January 27, 2002. Beginning August 1, service descriptions, definitions, terms and conditions, and pricing for the Business Markets services no longer federally tariffed may be found in the "Service Publication and Price Guide" located at the website <http://www.worldcom.com>. Also, beginning August 1, service descriptions, definitions, terms and conditions, and pricing for state-to-state Residential and Small Business services no longer federally tariffed may be found i) at <http://www.mci.com/service> for Residential services and http://www.mci.com/sb/service_agreement for Small Business services, or ii) by calling 1-800-444-3333.

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONSA. Application

1. The regulations specified herein are applicable to all communications services offered in this Tariff by the Company. Additional regulations, where applicable, pertaining to specific service offerings accompany such offerings in various sections of this Tariff.

B. Limitations of Service

1. Facilities are furnished for the use of the subscriber, employees, agents or representatives of the subscriber or members of the subscriber's domestic establishment except as specified elsewhere in the Tariff.
2. Terminal equipment, communications systems, and premises wiring provided by the customer may be connected with the facilities furnished by the Company for telecommunications services as provided in this Tariff.
3. Accessories which aid a subscriber's convenience in his use of the facilities of the Company in the service for which they are furnished under this Tariff are permissible provided any such accessory so used would not endanger the safety of Company employees agents of the Company or the public; or impair the operation of the telecommunications system or otherwise injure the public in its use of the Company's services.
4. The Company reserves the right to limit the length of communication when necessary because of a shortage of facilities caused by emergency conditions.

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (continued)

B. Limitations of Service (continued)

5. Service is furnished subject to the condition that it will not be used for an unlawful purpose. Service will be discontinued if any law enforcement agency acting within its apparent jurisdiction advises in writing that such service is being used in violation of law. The Company will refuse to furnish service when it has reasonable grounds to believe that such service will be used in violation of law.
6. The Company's obligation to furnish service is dependent upon its ability to secure and retain without unreasonable expense, suitable facilities and rights for the provision of such service.
7. The rates and charges stated in this tariff provide for the furnishing of service and facilities where suitable facilities are available or where the construction of the necessary facilities does not involve excessive costs.
8. When excessive costs are involved for the construction of facilities, charges for such construction will be determined in accordance with paragraph 10 following.

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (continued)B. Limitations of Service (continued)

9. The Company does not guarantee nor make any warranty with respect to equipment provided by it for use in an explosive atmosphere. The subscriber shall indemnify and hold the Company harmless from any and all loss, claims, demands, suits or other action, or any liability whatsoever, whether suffered, made, instituted or asserted by the subscriber or by any other party or person, for any personal injury to or death of any person or persons, and for any loss, damage or destruction of any property, whether owned by the subscriber or others, caused or claimed to have been caused directly or indirectly by installation, operation, failure to operate, maintenance, removal, presence, condition, location or use of said equipment so provided.

C. Payment and Billing:

1. An applicant for service may be required to pay in advance of installation an amount not to exceed applicable service charges or other non recurring charges, plus estimated charges for one month of service. Where special construction charges are applicable the payment thereof may be required in advance of start of construction.
2. The Company may, in its discretion, within the guidelines established by The South Carolina Public Service Commission, require any applicant for or any subscriber to its services to deposit a sum up to an amount equal to the charge for two consecutive months within the preceding six months. Any such deposit may be held during the continuance of the service as security for the payment of any and all amounts accruing for the service and may be adjusted upward or downward to reflect the actual billing experience and the payment habit of the customer.

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (continued)C. Payment and Billing (continued)

3. Interest at the rate as prescribed by the South Carolina Public Service Commission is allowed to the subscriber during the continuance of the deposit, payable as follows: (a) on demand of the depositor at any time, but no more often than once a year, (b) upon application of a depositor for discontinuance of service, (c) or, at the end of each five (5) year period if request for payment of interest or discontinuance of service has not been previously made. If held until discontinuance of service, such deposit and accrued interest, less any amounts then due the Company, is upon such discontinuance returnable to the subscriber.
4. The fact that a deposit has been made in no way relieves the applicant or subscriber from complying with the Company's regulations as to advance payments and the prompt payment of bills on presentation or constitutes a waiver or modification of the regular practices of the Company providing for the discontinuance of service for nonpayment of any sums due the Company.
5. All charges due by the subscriber are payable at any agency duly authorized to receive such payments. If objection in writing is not received by the Company within thirty days after the bill is rendered the account shall be deemed correct and binding upon the subscriber.
6. The subscriber shall pay monthly in arrears or on demand all monthly recurring charges for service and facilities and shall pay on demand all charges for usage. The subscriber is responsible for payment of all charges for services furnished the subscriber including charges for services originated or charges accepted at the subscriber's station.

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (continued)C. Payment and Billing (continued)

7. When the service has been disconnected for nonpayment, the service agreement is considered to have been terminated. Re-establishment of service may be made only upon the execution of a new service agreement which is subject to the provisions of this Tariff.
8. In its discretion, the Company may restore or re-establish service which has been suspended or disconnected for nonpayment of charges, prior to payment of all charges due. Such restoration or re-establishment shall not be construed as a waiver of any rights to suspend or disconnect service for nonpayment of any such or other charges due and unpaid or for the violation of the provisions of this Tariff; nor shall the failure to suspend or disconnect service for nonpayment of any past due account or accounts operate as a waiver or estoppels to suspend or disconnect service for nonpayment of such account or of any other past due account.
9. In the event legal process is instituted by the Company to collect monies owed the Company for the provision of telecommunications service and a judgment is obtained in favor of the Company, the subscriber shall be responsible for all attorney's fees and costs incurred by the Company in obtaining that judgment.
10. The customer may cancel service by giving notice, preferably in writing, up to the day cancellation is requested.
 - a) The Carrier will have up to thirty (30) days from the date of customer notification to complete the service disconnection. Any usage or recurring rates and charges incurred will be billed regardless of the customer's requested disconnect date.

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (continued)C. Payment and Billing (continued)

11. (continued)
Where the Carrier's service requires the use of a dedicated service line or special access line the customer must request disconnection one month prior to the date on which service is to be discontinued.
12. Bills are payable and due upon receipt. A maximum of one and one-half percent (1-1/2%) interest may be added to any unpaid balance brought forward from the previous billing date.

D. Application for Service

1. Any applicant for facilities for service may be required to sign an applicant form requesting the Company to furnish the facilities or service in accordance with the rates, charges, rules, and regulations from time to time in force and effect. The Company reserves the right to refuse service to any applicant who is found to be indebted to the Company for service previously rendered until satisfactory arrangement have been made for the payment of all such indebtedness.
2. When an application for service and facilities or requests for additions rearrangements, relocations or modifications of service and equipment are cancelled in whole or in part prior to completion of the work involved, the applicant is required to reimburse the Company for all expense incurred in handling the request before notice of cancellation is received. Such charge however, is not to exceed all charges which would apply if the work involved in complying with the request had been completed.

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (continued)D. Application for Service (continued)

3. When a subscriber requests a change in location of all or a part of the facilities covered by his application for service or requests for additions, rearrangements or modifications of his existing service and equipment prior to completion of the work involved, the subscriber is required to pay the difference between the total costs and expenses incurred by the Company in completing the work involved and that which would have been incurred had the final location of the facilities been specified initially.
4. For the purpose of billing, the start of service is the day of installation of the Company's service. The end of service date is the last day of the minimum notification for cancellation, or any portion of the last day, after receipt by the Company of notification of cancellation.

E. Provision and Ownership of Facilities:

1. Facilities furnished by the Company on the premises of a subscriber or authorized user of the Company are the property of the Company and are provided upon the condition that such facilities except as expressly provided in this Tariff, must be installed, relocated and maintained in this Tariff, must be installed relocated and maintained by the Company and that the Company's employees and agents may enter said premises at any reasonable hour to install, inspect or repair any part of the Company's facilities on the subscriber's premises or to remove such facilities which are no longer necessary for the provision of service.
2. Subscribers may not disconnect or remove or permit others to disconnect or remove any apparatus installed by the Company or agents of the Company, except as expressly provided in this Tariff or upon the written consent of the Company.

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (continued)F. Cancellation of Service for Cause:

1. The Company may without notice either suspend service or terminate the subscriber's contract without suspension of service or following a suspension of service disconnect the service upon:
 - a) Abandonment of the service.
 - b) Failure of a subscriber to make suitable deposit as required by this Tariff.
 - c) Impersonation of another with fraudulent intent.
 - d) Nonpayment of any sum due for regulated Company services.
 - e) Use of service in such a way as to impair or interfere with the service of other subscribers; such improper use includes, but is not limited to the use of service by a subscriber or with his permission in connection with a plan or contrivance to secure a large volume of telephone calls to be directed to such subscriber at or about the same time which may result in preventing, obstructing, or delaying the service of others.
 - f) Abuse or fraudulent use of service; such abuse or fraudulent use includes:
 - i. The use of service or facilities of the Company to transmit a message or to locate a person or otherwise to give or obtain information without payment of the charge applicable for the service.

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (continued)F. Cancellation of Service for Cause (continued):

- ii. The obtaining or attempting to obtain, or assisting another to obtain or to attempt to obtain service provided by the Company by rearranging, tampering with or making connection with any facilities of the Company, or by any trick, scheme, false representation, or false credit device, or by or through any other fraudulent means or device whatsoever with intent to avoid the payment in whole or in part, of the regular charge for such service.
- g) The use of the service in such a manner as to interfere unreasonably with the use of the service by one or more other customers.
- h) Any other violation of the Company's regulations.

G. Company Facilities at Hazardous or Inaccessible Locations:

- 1. Where service is to be established at a location that would involve undue hazards, or where accessibility is impracticable, to employees of the Company or agents of the Company, the subscriber may be required to install and maintain the Company's equipment and facilities in a manner satisfactory to the Company, any remuneration to be based on the conditions involved.

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)H. Work Performed Outside Regular Working Hours – Other Special Requests

1. The rates and charges specified in this Tariff contemplate that all work in connection with furnishing or rearranging service be performed during regular working hours. Whenever a subscriber requests that work necessarily required in the furnishing or rearranging of his service be performed outside the Company's regular working hours or that work once begun be interrupted, so that the Company incurs costs that would not otherwise have been incurred, the subscriber may be required to pay, in addition to other rates and charges specified in this Tariff, the amount of additional costs incurred by the Company as a result of the subscriber's special requirements.
2. A subscriber may also be required to pay the amount of additional cost incurred by the Company resulting from the subscriber's special requests.

I. Service Irregularities

1. The liability of the Company for damages arising out of mistakes, omissions, interruptions, delays, errors or defects in transmission or failures or defects in facilities furnished by the Company, occurring in the course of furnishing service or other facilities and not caused by the negligence of the subscriber, or of the Company in failing to maintain proper standards of maintenance and operation and to exercise reasonable supervision shall in no event exceed an amount equivalent to the proportionate charge to the subscriber for the period of service during which such mistake, omission, interruption, delay error or defect in transmission or defect or failure in facilities occurs.

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)I. Service Irregularities (Continued):

2. The Company shall not be liable for damage arising out of mistakes, omissions, interruptions, delays, errors or defects in transmission or other injury including but not limited to, injuries to persons or property from voltages or currents transmitted over the service of the Company caused by terminal equipment except where a contributing-provided connecting arrangement in which event the liability of the Company shall not exceed an amount equal to a proportional amount of the Company billing for the period of service during which such mistake, omission, interruption, delay, error, defect in transmission or injury occurs.

J. Special Construction Charge:

1. The Company bases the rates and charges stated herein on services furnished under normal conditions. Where installation of facilities involves unusual cost because of factors such as the time period, type of facility or location requested by the customer, special construction charges based on maintenance, operation, depreciation, engineering, return on investment and other expenses associated with furnishing the service may apply.

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)K. Use of Facilities of Other Connecting Carriers:

1. When suitable arrangements can be made facilities of other connecting carriers may be used in conjunction with this Company's facilities in establishing connections to points not reached by this Company's facilities. Neither this Company nor any connecting carrier participating in a service shall be liable for any act or omission of any other company or companies furnishing a portion of such service.

L. Provision for Certain Local Taxes and Fees:

1. Any assessments, franchise fees, privilege, license occupation excise or other similar taxes or fees, whether in a lump sum or at a flat rate, or based on receipts, or based on poles, wire or other utility property units, imposed upon the Company by any governmental authority shall be added pro rata, insofar as practical, to the rates and charges stated in the Company's standard schedules, on amounts which in the aggregate for the Company's customers of any political entity shall be equal to the amount of any such tax upon the Company. Company shall, so long as any such tax or fee is in effect add to the bills of the customers in such political entity pro rata on the basis of the revenue derived by Company from each customer, an amount sufficient to recover any such tax or fee.

M. Defacement of Premises:

1. The Company is not liable for any defacement of or damage to the premises of subscriber resulting from the furnishing of service when such defacement or damage is not the result of negligence of employee of the Company or agents of the Company.

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)N. Limitations of the Company Liability:

1. The liability of the Company for damages arising out of mistakes, omissions, interruptions, delays, errors or defects in transmission occurring in the course of furnishing service shall in no event exceed an amount equivalent to the proportionate charge to the customers for the period of service during which such mistake, omission, interruption, delay, error or defect in transmission occurs.
2. The Company is not liable for the actions, omissions or negligence of any other company or companies furnishing a portion of the service.
3. The Company will not be liable for any failure of performance hereunder due to causes beyond its control including but not limited to civil disorders, fire, flood or other disasters, labor problems or regulations or actions taken by any government agency having jurisdiction over the company.
4. The customer will indemnify and save harmless the Company against:
 - i. Claims for libel, slander or infringement or copyright arising out of the material data, information or other content transmitted over facilities furnished by the Company.
 - ii. Claims for damage to customer or authorized user's premises including claims made by a third party resulting from the furnishing or service by the company when said damage is not the result or negligence of the Company employees or agents.
 - iii. Patent infringement claims arising from combining or connecting the Company channels with customer provided equipment or the Company systems.

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)N. Limitations of the Company Liability (continued):

5. As a telephone utility under the regulation of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina, SouthernNet or South Carolina, Inc. does hereby assert and affirm that as a reseller or intrastate telecommunications service, it will not indulge or participate in deceptive or misleading telecommunications marketing practices to the detriment of consumers in South Carolina, and it will comply with those marketing procedures, if any, set forth by the Public Service Commission. Additionally, SouthernNet of South Carolina, Inc. will be responsible for the marketing practices of its contracted telemarketers for compliance with this provision. SouthernNet of South Carolina, Inc. understands that violation of this provision could result in a rule to show cause as to the withdrawal of its certification to complete intrastate telecommunications traffic within the state of South Carolina.

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)O. Customer Obligation:

1. The services and facilities of the company are available to its customers subject to the provisions of this tariff.
2. The customer shall assume all responsibility for taking the necessary legal steps for interconnecting customer-provided equipment with the Company facilities.
3. The customer shall be responsible for insuring that customer-provided equipment or systems are properly interfaced with the Company facilities.
4. The customer shall operator his equipment in such a manner that his use of the Company facilities shall not interfere with other customers' use of the Company facilities.
5. The customer shall provide adequate space, electrical power, wiring and electrical power, wiring and electrical outlets necessary for the proper operation of the Company equipment on his premises.
6. The customer shall be responsible for all loss through theft, fire, flood and other catastrophes to the Company facilities on the customer's premises.
7. The customer shall be responsible for damages to the Company facilities caused by the negligence or willful acts of the customer's officers, employees, agents, contractors or invitees.

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)O. Customer Obligation (Continued):

8. Access to the customer's premises may be necessary for installation and/or routine maintenance of the Company's or the customer's provided facilities. The necessary access and will attempt to schedule the access at a mutually convenient time. For charges contemplated in this tariff such access must be available during regular business hours. When at the specific request of the customer, installation and/or routine maintenance is performed outside of the regular business hours; additional Special Service charges may apply.
9. The customer guarantees and assures the Company that his authorized user (s) will satisfy all provisions of this Tariff and abide by its regulations. The customer also assumes all responsibility for his authorized users relative to the compliance with the provisions of this Tariff.
10. The customer is responsible for insuring that, except for the Company designated personnel, no one attempts to adjust, modify, move or otherwise interfere in any way with the continuous operation of the Company equipment located either at the customer or authorized user's premises.
11. The security of the customer's authorization codes is the responsibility of the customer. All calls placed with be billed and must be paid by the customer.
12. When the leased channel communications services of the Company are interconnected with and/or terminated in any service and/or equipment of another communications common carrier, the customer shall comply with applicable Tariff regulations of the other communications common carrier.

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)O. Customer Obligation (Continued):

13. The subscriber is responsible for the provision and maintenance, at his expense, of all suitable space and floor arrangements, including but not limited adequate lighting and temperature control, required on his premises for communication facilities provided by, and at the expense of, the subscriber.
14. All operations required for the use of communications facilities provided by the Company at the subscriber's premises will be performed at the expense of the subscriber, and must conform with the operating practices and procedures of the company to maintain a proper standard of service.
15. All ordinary expense of maintenance and repairs, unless otherwise specified in the Tariff, is borne by the Company. In case of damage, loss, theft, or destruction of any of the Company's property due to negligence or willful act of the subscriber or other persons authorized to use the service and not due to ordinary wear and tear or causes beyond the control of the subscriber, the subscriber shall be required to pay the expense incurred by the Company in connection with the replacement of the property damaged, lost, stolen or destroyed or the expense incurred in restoring it to its original condition.

P. Obligation of the Carrier:

1. The Company's obligation to furnish service, is dependent on its ability to obtain, retain and maintain suitable rights and facilities, and to provide for the installation of those facilities required incident to the furnishing and maintenance of the service.

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)P. Obligation of the Carrier (Continued):2. Service Quality Commitment (Continued):

In addition to the limitations of liability stated else where in the Carrier's tariffs, the Carrier offers its customers a "Quality First Promise" under the terms and conditions stated herein:

- i) The "Quality First Promise" is offered to all customers subscribing to qualifying Carrier service (s) as described in paragraph P. a. vi. following, after the effective date of this tariff provision. This offer includes existing customers who add qualifying additional service (s) and to new customers subscribing to such services (s).
- ii) All qualifying new service (s) provided will include the Carrier's written "Quality First Promise" certificate which will be completed and signed by the carrier's sales representative and left with the customer. It is the customer's responsibility to retain this certificate.
- iii) If within sixty (60) days of utilization of the Carrier's qualifying tariffed service(s) the customer is not satisfied with the performance of the Company or quality of the service provided, the customer determines that he desires to terminate the Carrier's service (s), and the Carrier is so advised within thirty (30) days, subject to the conditions in paragraph 13.a.iv. and v. following the Carrier will:

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)P. Obligation of the Carrier (Continued):

2. Service Quality Commitment (Continued)

- a) Return to the customer any of the Carrier's installation charges which were imposed at the initiation of the Carrier's service (s), which were subject to the "Quality First Promise".
 - b) Reimburse the customer for one time or nonrecurring charges imposed by his former service provider (carrier) to reconnect his service to that carrier at the same level of service previously utilized, limited to 150% of the amount the SouthernNet Services would charge for similar installation of service initiation work.
 - c) Limitation liability for damages and cost for lost time or time out of service are as provided for in Section B of this tariff.
- iv) The customer will receive reimbursement as described in paragraph iii above by submitting the "Quality First Promise" certificate which was provided upon initiation of service (s), along with copies of supporting invoices or documentation for reinstallation costs incurred, to the Carrier within thirty (30) days of notification of cancellation of Carrier's service (s). The Carrier's address for such submissions is: SouthernNet Quality First Promise, 728 North Pleasantburg Drive, Greenville, South Carolina 29607. The Carrier will review and verify the documented cost information and provide appropriate reimbursement within forty five (45) days of receipt of the certificate and billing invoice information.

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SECTION II
RULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)

P. Obligation of the Carrier (Continued):

2. Service Quality Commitment (Continued)

- v) The "Quality First Promise" certificate submitted must be complete with authorizing signature of the individual who ordered the service (s) (Customer) and the Carrier's sales representative who accepted the order for service (s).
- vi) This commitment and provision is applicable to all services in the Carrier's tariffs unless otherwise designated therein and is not transferable.

Q. Special Promotions:

- 1. The Company may offer special promotions of new or existing services to products for limited periods. These promotions will be offered on a completely nondiscriminatory basis with each subscriber in the classification of service and area for which the promotion is offered having an equal opportunity for participation, subject to the availability of products services and facilities.

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION III
SERVICE DESCRIPTIONA. TYPES OF SERVICE:

The Carrier furnishes long distance calling services as follows:

1. Basic Direct Dialing Service (Basic Service)

- a) Basic Service is offered to residential and business customers. There is no monthly subscription fee. One authorization code is furnished with this basic service. Additional authorization codes are provided at rates shown in Section V, Rates and Charges. Volume billing discounts are applicable to the customer's total monthly billing as specified in Section V, Current Rates.
- b) Each Basic Service customer is billed individually for each call placed through the carrier since the previous month's billing. Each call is measured and billed per minute or fraction thereof as described in Section I, Definition of Terms, Chargeable Time, preceding. (Fractional minutes are rounded up to the next minute). Minimum length of call is one minute. See Section V, Current Rates, for the applicable rate schedule.

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION III
SERVICE DESCRIPTION, (Continued)A. TYPES OF SERVICE (Continued):2. *USA Card Travel Services 1/

*USA Card Service provides access to the Carrier's network for call completion and certain special services through a 1-800 number provided by the carrier from all points in the continental United States. The USA*Card Service is offered under two product types identified as Option 1 and Option 2 which are defined by the number of enhanced services available with each service type and the annual fee associated with each card.

The Option 1 Service is accessed by an inbound 800 Service number provided by the Carrier. Access to the Option 2 Service is also provided through an 1-800 number. The access numbers for the two services differ as defined by the Carrier and cannot be used interchangeably.

1/ Effective January 1, 1995, *USA Card Travel Services will no longer be available to new subscribers.

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SECTION III
SERVICE DESCRIPTION, (Continued)A. TYPES OF SERVICE (Continued)

2. *USA Card Travel Service (continued)

In accessing both services, the subscriber will receive a prompt chime from the Carrier's switching equipment upon accessing the *USA Card systems through the respective 800 numbers. The subscriber then must input the fourteen digit personal identification number (PIN) assigned by the carrier. When the subscriber's PIN has been verified as valid, the carrier's switch will return a prompt tone. The subscriber then has access to long distance services, including operator services and international calling. Access to the enhanced services offered through the Option 1 Service or the Option 2 Service is also available upon receipt of the prompt tone.

If the subscriber fails to enter a PIN after the chime prompt has been generated or if the PIN entered is not recognized as valid, the Carrier's operator will intercept the call. The operator will assist in validating the subscriber's PIN or to complete the user's call as an operator treated call (e.g. collect or person-to-person) in the event the PIN is determined to be invalid.

When the subscriber receives a valid code prompt tone calls may be placed by inputting 1+NPA+NXX+XXXX, NPA+NXX+XXXX or 0- thereby accessing either direct dialed or operator treated calling.

Access to enhanced services is provided through use of the *** key.

The subscriber may "reoriginate" through the use of the "#" key. Reorigination allows the user to place additional calls upon the completion of a call or upon exiting the Carrier's enhanced services.

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION III
SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)

A. TYPES OF SERVICE (Continued):

3. T*USA Connect Service

T*USA Connect Service provides access to the Carrier's network for call completion through a 1-800 number provided by the Carrier from a central office where equal access is not available.

Calls that originate in a customer's home NPA will be billed the rates found in Section V, Current Rates. Calls that originate outside the customer's home NPA will be billed the rates and surcharges for USA*Card found in Section V, Current Charges, herein.

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION III
SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)A. TYPES OF SERVICE (Continued):4. Directory Assistance

The Carrier provides the customer directory assistance on a pass through basis to other carriers offering Directory Assistance Service. The Carrier will charge a flat, per call rate for each Directory Assistance call placed through its service as specified in Section V, Current Rates.

5. "900" and "976" Numbers

The Carrier blocks calls to "900" and "976" numbers.

6. Enhanced Services

- a) Project Accounting Code Service - is an arrangement which provides the customer with the capability to allocate his long distance billing to separate departments or cost centers. This is accomplished through the use of multi-digit project account codes associated with the Carrier's basic service or authorization codes. A maximum of 9,999 project accounting codes may be utilized.
- b) Speed Number Service - An abbreviated dialing arrangement which provides the customer with the ability to call pre-selected locations by dialing a multi-digit code. A maximum of sixteen speed numbers is provided for each basic service number or authorization code to which Speed Number Service applies.

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SECTION III
SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)A. TYPES OF SERVICE (Continued):6. Enhance Services

- c) Management Report Service - provides the customer with various levels of billing detail related to his long distance service. Level 1 provides departmental billing and includes call detail and a departmental report. Level 2 provides called number analysis and includes detail by Area Code and summary by city called. Level 3 provides customized billing and is provided on a special quote basis. Special quotes will be filed in Section E, Special Services.

7. Operator Service

The following Classification of Calls will be addressed in this section:

- A) Calls made from SouthernNet of South Carolina, Inc. pre-subscribed payphones or institutional phones and which are completed with the assistance of a Company operator;
- B) Calls made from payphones or institutional phones which are not pre-subscribed to SouthernNet of South Carolina, Inc., but are placed by dialing 1010852 or any other SouthernNet of South Carolina, Inc. carrier identification code and which are completed with the assistance of a Company operator;
- C) Calls made from private residential or business phones pre-subscribed to SouthernNet of South Carolina, Inc. and which are completed with the assistance of a Company operator;

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SECTION III
SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)A. TYPES OF SERVICE (Continued):7. Operator Service (Cont.)

- D) Calls made from private residential or business phones by Casual Caller, which are not pre-subscribed to SouthernNet of South Carolina, Inc., but are placed by dialing 1010852 or any other SouthernNet of South Carolina, Inc. carrier identification code and which are completed with the assistance of a Company operator;
- E) Calls which are billed to a Local Exchange Company calling card regardless of the phone from which the call is placed;
- F) Calls which are placed from business phones for which prearrangement with SouthernNet of South Carolina, Inc. has been made and are billed through third-party credit cards; and
- G) Calls which are placed from business phones for which prearrangement with SouthernNet of South Carolina, Inc. has been made and for which certain call parameters are provided to the customer on a real-time basis.

The applicable rates and charges can be found in Section V - Current Rates - of this tariff.

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SECTION III
SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)A. TYPES OF SERVICE (Continued):8. SMARTminutes 1/ 2/

SMARTminutes is an outbound Residential Service that allows customers to originate intrastate calls via Local Exchange Carrier Feature Group D access line. A customer may pre-subscribe up to two lines for SMARTminutes or may access the Service by dialing 1010826. 3/ See Section V for the applicable rate schedule. Directory Assistance and Operator Services will be available to those customers who pre-subscribe to SMARTminutes. The Directory Assistance charge can be found in Section V (C) and the Operator Services rates and surcharges are listed in Section VI (B).

9. SMARTminutes Advantage 1/ 2/

SMARTminutes Advantage is an outbound Residential Service that allows customers to originate intrastate calls via local Exchange Carrier Feature Group D access lines. See Section 5 - Rates and Charges for the applicable rate schedule. Directory Assistance and Operator Services will be available to those customers who presubscribe to SMARTminutes Advantage.

The SMARTminutes Calling Card option is available for customers enrolled in SMARTminutes Advantage service. The rates and surcharges in Section 5 - Rates and Charges will apply.

1/ Beginning November 13, 1998, this service will no longer be available to new customers.

2/ Service are available on a limited geographic basis and for customers of certain local exchange carriers.

3/ If a customer dials 1010826, SMARTminutes rates apply only when the call is placed from a pre-subscribed SMARTminutes phone.

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION III
SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)A. TYPES OF SERVICE (Continued):10. SMARTminutes for business ^{1/}

SMARTminutes for business is an inbound and outbound Commercial Service that allows customers to originate intrastate calls via local exchange carrier access facilities. A customer may access outbound service by: (1) designating the Company as its Primary Interexchange Carrier (PIC); (2) dialing a Company carrier identification code (CIC); or (3) using a calling card access telephone number and personal identification number (PIN). Inbound service is accessed using common business line 800 terminations.

All SMARTminutes for business calls are subject to a full minute rounding after the initial first minute increment.

Directory Assistance and Operator Services (as described in Section C) will be available to those customers who pre-subscribe to SMARTminutes for business.

SMARTminutes for business Term Plan:

The SMARTminutes for business Term Plan is a term plan that provides discounts off domestic usage rates. Customers who enroll in this plan will receive discounts off standard tariffed rates for SMARTminutes for business as described below.

- a. Term Commitment and Renewal Option: A customer must commit to service for a term of either one or two years. The term of the SMARTminutes for business Term Plan will commence no earlier than the first day of the billing month in which the customer subscribes to the plan. Upon expiration of the term the customer will revert to standard tariffed rates for SMARTminutes for business.

^{1/} Beginning April 17, 1997, this service will no longer be available to new customers.

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION III
SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)A. TYPES OF SERVICE (Continued):10. SMARTminutes for business 1/SMARTminutes for business Term Plan (Cont.)

- b. Discounts: SMARTminutes for business Term Plan customers will receive a reduction off standard tariffed rates for SMARTminutes for business as described in the Company's F.C.C. Tariff No. 4.

Directory Assistance, Operator Services, and monthly recurring charges are not discountable.

- c. Early Termination Charges: Discontinuance of service under the SMARTminutes for business term plan prior to the expiration of the committed term constitutes discontinuance of the plan and the customer will be billed and required to pay an early termination charge equal to \$100 multiplied by the number of months remaining in the committed term of service.

11. SMARTminutes Toll Free 1/

SMARTminutes Toll Free is an inbound and outbound Commercial Service that allows customers to originate calls via local exchange carrier access facilities. A customer may access outbound service by: (1) designating the Company as its Primary Interexchange carrier (PIC); (2) dialing a Company carrier identification code (CIC). Inbound service is accessed using common business line 800 terminations.

- a. Features: Directory Assistance as described in Section III and Operator Services as described in Section III will be available to those customers who pre-subscribe to SMARTminutes Toll Free.

1/ Beginning April 17, 1997, these services will no longer be available to new customers.

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION III
SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)A. TYPES OF SERVICE (Continued):11. SMARTminutes Toll Free 1/SMARTminutes Toll Free (Cont.)

- b. Options: Unverified accounting codes of two, three, or four digits are available to customers who access outbound service by: (1) designating the Company as its PIC; or, (2) using a calling card access telephone number and personal identification number (PIN). Unverified accounting codes allow the customer to input customer-defined combinations of digits which are not verified by the Company.

12. SMARTminute Buy Down 1/

SMARTminutes Buy Down is an outbound Commercial Service that allows customers to originate calls via local exchange carrier access facilities. A customer may access outbound service by: (1) designating the Company as its Primary Interexchange Carrier (PIC); (2) dialing a company carrier identification code (CIC).

- a. Features: Directory Assistance as described in Section III and Operator Services as described in Section III will be available to those customers who pre-subscribe to SMARTminutes Buy Down Plan.
- b. Options: Unverified accounting codes of two, three, or four digits are available to customers who access outbound service by: (1) designating the Company as its PIC; or, (2) using a calling card access telephone number and personal identification number (PIN). Unverified accounting codes allow the customer to input customer-defined combinations of digits which are not verified by the Company.

13. 10-10-321 Plan

SouthernNet will offer the 10-10-321 plan to customers who access SouthernNet service by dialing the access number 10-10-321. Calls will be rounded up to the next full minute. When application of the usage rates results in a fraction of a cent, the call will be rounded down to the nearest whole cent. Calls beginning in one rate period and ending in another rate period will be billed the rate in effect for each period in which the call applies. Customers will receive the rates in Section V for interlata and intralata calls. Calls which equal or exceed 10 minutes in length will receive 50% off the following rates.

14. 10-10-220 Plan

The customer will be charged a current rate of \$0.99 and a maximum rate of \$1.98 for the first 10 minutes (or any portion thereof) of usage per call and current rate of \$0.15 and a maximum rate of \$0.30 per minute for each minute of usage thereafter.

15. 1010987 Calling

Customers who access SouthernNet services by dialing Company carrier identification code (CIC) 1010987 will be charged i) a per-call surcharge of a current \$0.53 and a maximum rate of \$1.06 and ii) a current rate of \$0.04 per minute and a maximum rate of \$0.06 for each minute of intrastate (interLATA and intraLATA) usage, excluding calls to Operator Services and Directory Assistance.

1/ Beginning April 17, 1997, these services will no longer be available to new customers.

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SECTION III
SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)A. TYPES OF SERVICE (Continued):16. Casual Caller:

Casual Caller Dial-1: An instate InterLATA and IntraLATA per minute rate of a maximum \$0.98 and a current rate of \$0.49 with a maximum \$2.25 and a current \$1.25 surcharge is applicable to calls placed by Casual Callers who access Company service by direct dial access or by dialing 1010826, or any other Company Carrier Identification.

17. Payphone Use Charge

An undiscountable \$0.50 per call charge is applicable to calls that originate from any payphone within the state used to access Company services as follows. This charge, which is in addition to standard tariffed usage charges and any applicable surcharges associated with the Company's service, applies for the use of the instrument used to access Company service and is unrelated to the Company service accessed from the payphone. Customers will be charged the Payphone Use Charge for each call, which is placed from a payphone within the state.

The Payphone Use Charge does not apply to: calls using Telecommunications Relay Service; calls originated by customers with qualified hearing or speech impairments who are certified and calls placed from payphones at which the customer pays for service by inserting coins during the progress of the calls.

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION III
SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)B. ACCESSING SERVICE:

Basic Service is a one way dial in - dial out, multipoint telecommunications service allowing the customer to originate calls through Carrier provided access lines. Access to the Carrier may differ dependent upon the type exchange access service provided by the local exchange telephone company to the Carrier.

1. In local exchange areas where central office facilities provide "Feature Group D" equal access the customer who has established an account(s) with the Carrier may access service on a direct dial, or "Touch One" basis, or, the customer may dial the Carrier's equal access number, 1010852, then the area code and the telephone number desired.
2. In equal access local exchanges the Carrier may also be accessed over a cut through dialing feature. This feature allows dialing 1010852 and the (#) key on a touch tone type telephone. When the call is acknowledged by the Carrier's switch, the customer completes the call as described in paragraph 3. following.
3. In local exchange areas where non equal access facilities are provided the subscriber will access service as follows:
 - 1) If the subscriber is within his or her home NPA, the subscriber will access by dialing 1-800-XXX-XXXX. The subscriber will then be prompted by a chime tone to enter his or her carrier assigned authorization code. Should the subscriber fail to enter the authorization code, the subscriber will be prompted by voice to enter the proper authorization code. After entering the authorization code, the subscriber will be prompted by a double beep to dial the destination number.

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SECTION III
SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)B. ACCESSING SERVICE (con't):

- 2) If the subscriber is outside his or her home NPA, the subscriber will access service via *USA Card Travel Service as described in Section III, A herein.

Subscribers using accounting codes will access the service as described above. After dialing the destination number, the subscriber is prompted by voice to enter the appropriate accounting code.

The subscriber may "re-originate" calls through the use of the "*" key. Re-origination enables the user to place additional calls upon the completion of the previous call, without re-dialing 1-800-XXX-XXXX or authorization codes.

4. Customers may originate calls through *USA Card travel services when away from the normal local exchange or originating exchange.

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION III
SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)B. ACCESSING SERVICE (cont):

5. The Carrier's Operator Services are accessed in exchange areas served by the Carrier through dialing arrangements as specified below.
- a) In "Feature Group D" equal access exchanges where the customer has established a "Touch One" account with the Carrier, the customer must dial "00" to access the Carrier's Operator Service.

In "Feature Group D" equal access exchanges where the Carrier provides service, the customer may dial the Carrier's equal access number, 1010852, plus "0" to access the Carrier's Operator Service.
 - b) In exchange areas where non equal access facilities are provided, the customer may access the Carrier's Operator Service by dialing 1-800-XXX-XXXX plus "0".
 - c) In instances where the customer accesses the Carrier's network via dedicated facilities, Operator Service may be accessed by dialing "00" over the dedicated line.

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SECTION IV
MAXIMUM RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)A. CALL RATES AND CHARGES:

1. A charge per call will apply for each call connected based upon the mileage of the call between the originating city and the terminating rate center (city) as determined by the V and H coordinates method described in the General Subscriber Services Tariff of Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company, and the rate schedule and discount periods following.
2. Discounts for evening, night and weekend time periods apply, based on the specific time period of the minute, or fraction thereof, of usage.

For the initial period, the discount applicable at the start of the conversation minute applies. For additional minute (s) the discount applicable is the discount which is in effect at the calling party's station when the additional minute occurs. If an additional minute is split between two rate periods the rate period applicable at the start of the minute applies to the entire minute.
3. In the event a call is placed, rings for over 150 seconds, but is unanswered, billing will be imposed 30 seconds from the time ringing began.

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION IV
MAXIMUM RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)A. CALL RATES AND CHARGES (Continued):

4. Basic Service long distance rates for weekday period (8 A.M. to 5 P.M.).

Intrastate Maximum Rates

Rate <u>Mileage</u>	Initial <u>Minute</u>	Each Add'l <u>Minute</u>
0-10	\$.2400	\$.1300
11-16	.2500	.1400
17-32	.3000	.1900
23-30	.3400	.2400
31-40	.4300	.2600
41-55	.4800	.3000
56-70	.5000	.3200
71-124	.5200	.3500
125-196	.5300	.3700
197+	.5600	.3900

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SECTION IV
MAXIMUM RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)B. *USA Card Travel Service Rates ^{1/}

1. Annual Subscription Fee

i.	Option 2	\$10.00
ii.	Option 1	\$20.00

2. Usage Rates - Per Minutes

Initial Minute			Additional Minute			
<u>Mileage</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Evening</u>	<u>N/W</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Evening</u>	<u>N/W</u>
1-10	.2700	.1809	.1404	.2550	.1709	.1326
11-22	.3150	.2111	.1638	.3000	.2010	.1560
23-55	.3450	.2312	.1794	.3300	.2211	.1716
56-124	.3600	.2412	.1872	.3450	.2312	.1794
125-292	.3600	.2412	.1872	.3450	.2312	.1794
293-430	.3600	.2412	.1872	.3450	.2312	.1794
431-925	.3750	.2513	.1950	.3600	.2412	.1872
926-1910	.3900	.2613	.2028	.3750	.2513	.1950
1911-3000	.4050	.2714	.2106	.3900	.2613	.2028
3001-4250	.4650	.3116	.2418	.4500	.3015	.2340
4251-5750	.4950	.3317	.2574	.4800	.3216	.2496

^{1/} Effective January 1, 1995, *USA Card Travel Service will no longer be available to new subscribers.

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SECTION IV
MAXIMUM RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)B. *USA Card Travel Service Rates (Continued)

3. Service Fees - Charges apply in addition to applicable usage charges.

- i. Calls placed through *USA Card Direct Dialing per call \$.60
- ii. Calls placed with operator assistance are subject to operator service fees as specified below.

Per Call or Service

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|----|----------------------------|--------|
| a) | Collect Station to Station | \$2.50 |
| b) | Person to Person | \$6.00 |
| c) | Directory Assistance | \$1.20 |

- iii. Rates and charges for enhanced services are established by the carrier and are not subject to the regulation of the South Carolina Public Service Commission.

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION IV
MAXIMUM RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)C. DIRECTORY ASSISTANCE CHARGE:

1. Directory Assistance charge for calls placed by the customer to other carrier's Directory Assistance Service. Calls so placed are billed to the Company by the other carrier as are local access charges for customer call origination and termination. The charge shown below is applied to recover these costs.

Directory Assistance charge per call	\$0.50
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D. "900" RATES AND CHARGES:

"900" and "976" calls placed through the carrier's service will be blocked.

E. AUTHORIZATION CODE AND RATES:

First code	no charge
Additional codes up to 10, per code, per month	\$1.50
Additional codes over 10, per code, per month	\$0.50

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SECTION IV
MAXIMUM RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)F. REESTABLISHMENT OF SERVICE CHARGE:

If a customer's service is disconnected for non-payment of a sum due to the Carrier, a one time charge will be billed to the customer, upon receipt of payment in full and reconnection of service.

Re-establishment of service charge	\$10.00
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G. OPERATOR SERVICE:

a) Usage Rates

Pursuant to Order No. 88-685, dated July 8, 1988 in Docket No. 88-214-C, the maximum per minute rates applicable to Operator Services mirror those of ATT-C Message Toll Service Rates.

b) Per Call Service Charges

Pursuant to Order No. 88-685, dated July 8, 1988 in Docket No. 88-214-C, the maximum per call service charges applicable to Operator Services mirror those of ATT-C Operator Service Rates, excluding the Client surcharge.

c) Client Surcharge

Maximum Per Call Client Surcharges	\$1.00
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SECTION IV
MAXIMUM RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)H. T*USA Connect Service

- a) Per-Minute Usage Rate: The following are maximum s per-minute usage rates for all calls placed within a subscriber's home NPA.

	Business Day		Evening		Night & Weekend	
<u>Mileage</u>	<u>1st Min</u>	<u>Add'l Min</u>	<u>1st Min</u>	<u>Add'l Min</u>	<u>1st Min</u>	<u>Add'l Min</u>
1-10	.2300	.1290	.1700	.0970	.1440	.0780
11-16	.2400	.1390	.1800	.1040	.1500	.0840
17-22	.2900	.1880	.2200	.1410	.1800	.1140
23-30	.3300	.2380	.2500	.1780	.2040	.1440
31-55	.4100	.2480	.3100	.1860	.2100	.1440
56-70	.4400	.3170	.3300	.2380	.2200	.1620
71-124	.4600	.3370	.3400	.2520	.2300	.1740
124-Over	.4900	.3560	.3700	.2670	.2460	.1920

Calls made from within a subscriber's home NPA and placed with the assistance of an operator will be subject to the operator service fees as specified below.

	<u>Surcharge per call</u>
1. Station-to-Station	\$2.50
2. Person-to-Person	\$5.00

- b) The maximum rates for subscribers placing calls from outside their home NPA are those rates associated with *USA Card listed in Section IV herein.

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MAXIMUM RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)I. SMARTminutes 1/

Per Minute Usage Rates: The following charges are maximum per-minute usage rates for the applicable option.

Option A:

\$0.30 during all time of day rate periods

Option B:

\$0.40 during all time of day rate periods

SMARTminutes Calling Card - Customers will be charged \$0.50 per minute for all SMARTminutes calling card calls that originate and terminate within the state. A surcharge of \$1.50 per call will apply.

SMARTminutes Advantage 1/

Per Minute Usage Rate: \$0.190 during all time of day rate periods

All SMARTminutes calls will be billed in one-minute increments.

J. SMARTminutes for business: 2/

Per Minute Usage Rate: The following charge is the maximum per-minute rate for all calls.

\$0.30 during all time of day rate periods

1/ Beginning on November 13, 1998, this service will no longer be available to new customers.

2/ Beginning on April 17, 1997, this service will no longer be available to new customers.

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SECTION IV
MAXIMUM RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)K. SMARTminutes Toll Free ^{1/}

Per Minute Usage Rates: \$.20 for all time of day rate period for US outbound and inbound calls.

Calling Card Rate: \$0.28 per Minute

A surcharge of \$1.50 per call will apply to all calls billed to a calling card.

All SMARTminutes toll free calls are subject to a 30 second initial increment with additional 6 second increments.

L. SMARTminutes Buy Down ^{1/}

Per Minute Usage Rates: \$.20 for all time of day rate period for US outbound and inbound calls.

Calling Card Rate: \$0.28 per Minute

A surcharge of \$1.50 per call will apply to all calls billed to a calling card.

All SMARTminutes toll free calls are subject to a 30 second initial increment with additional 6 second increments.

^{1/} Beginning on April 17, 1997, this service will no longer be available to new customers.

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interLATA

	Day		Evening		Night/Weekend	
<u>Mileage</u>	<u>Initial</u>	<u>Add'l</u>	<u>Initial</u>	<u>Add'l</u>	<u>Initial</u>	<u>Add'l</u>
1-10	.2800	.2600	.2400	.2600	.2200	.2400
11-16	.3200	.2800	.2600	.2800	.2400	.2600
17-22	.3400	.3600	.3000	.3200	.2400	.2600
23-30	.4200	.4400	.3200	.3400	.2800	.3000
31-55	.4800	.5000	.3600	.3800	.3200	.3400
56-70	.5400	.5600	.4000	.4200	.3600	.3800
71-124	.5800	.6000	.4200	.4400	.3800	.4000
125+	.6000	.6200	.4400	.4600	.4400	.4200

intraLATA

	Day		Evening		Night/Weekend	
<u>Mileage</u>	<u>Initial</u>	<u>Add'l</u>	<u>Initial</u>	<u>Add'l</u>	<u>Initial</u>	<u>Add'l</u>
1-10	.2400	.2600	.2400	.2600	.2200	.2400
11-16	.2600	.2800	.2600	.2800	.2400	.2600
17-22	.3600	.3800	.3000	.3200	.2800	.3000
23-30	.4600	.4800	.3200	.3400	.3000	.3200
31-40	.4800	.5000	.3400	.3600	.3000	.3200
41-55	.5000	.5200	.3400	.3600	.3000	.3200
56-70	.5400	.5600	.3800	.4000	.3400	.3600
71-124	.5600	.5800	.4000	.4200	.3600	.3800
125-196	.5600	.5800	.4400	.4600	.3800	.4000
197+	.5600	.5800	.4400	.4600	.3800	.4000

Calls greater than 20 minutes in length will receive 50% off the above maximum rates.

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The Customer will be charge a maximum rate of \$1.98 for the first 20 minutes (or any portion thereof) of usage per call a maximum rate \$0.20 per minute for each minute of usage thereafter.

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION IV
MAXIMUM RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)O. TUSA TalkSmarter Block-of-Time 500

TUSA TalkSmarter 500 is an outbound and inbound service designed primarily for residential customers. TUSA TalkSmarter 500 includes a block of time structure with a flat rate structure for Dial 1 calls made outside the block-of-time allotment, and a flat rate structure for calling card service. No term plan options will apply to this service. All intrastate Dial-1 calls and calling card calls will have a 60 second rounding. If the computed charge includes a fraction of a cent, the fraction is rounded down to the nearest whole cent. A monthly charge will apply to this service.

Monthly Account Fees: Customers enrolled in this plan will be charged a maximum \$30.00 monthly recurring charge.

Access Methods and Charges:

a) Dial-1 Access: TUSA TalkSmarter Block-of-Time 500 can be used for Dial-1 access. Customers will receive an allotment of up to 500 minutes per monthly period that may be used for interstate and intrastate (interLATA and intraLATA) dial-1 usage. TUSA TalkSmarter Block-of-Time 500 customers will be charged the following rates for each minute of usage over the allotment. Customers may place these calls 24 hours a day and 7 days a week.

Maximum Interstate & intrastate (InterLATA & IntraLATA) per minute charge: \$0.09

b) Calling Card: TUSA TalkSmarter Block-of-Time 500 Calling Card access is available for origination from touch tone or rotary phones by dialing an MCI provided 800 number. Customers will be charged a maximum per minute rate of \$0.30 for all time periods for all intrastate calling card calls which terminate to the customers billed ANI. No per call surcharge will apply to these calls. All other calls will be charged a per minute rate of \$0.89 for all intraLATA and interLATA calling card calls. No per call surcharge will apply to these calls.

c) Personal 800 Number: Personal 800 is non-applicable to customers who subscribe to this service.

d) Directory Assistance/Directory Assistance Call Completion:

Maximum Directory Assistance: \$3.98

Maximum Directory Assistance Call Completion Per Call Charge: \$0.70

e) Operator Assistance: The following rates should be found in Section H.

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SECTION IV
MAXIMUM RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)P. TUSA TalkSmarter USA

TUSA TalkSmarter USA is an outbound and inbound service designed primarily for residential customers. TUSA TalkSmarter USA includes a flat rate structure for Dial 1, and calling card service. No term plan options will apply to this service. All intrastate Dial-1 calls will have 60 second rounding for the first minute and 6 second for each additional minute. Intrastate Callings Card calls will have 60 second rounding. If the computed charge includes a fraction of a cent, the fraction is rounded down to the nearest whole cent. A monthly charge will apply to this service.

Maximum Monthly Account Fees: Customers enrolled in this plan will be charged a \$9.90 monthly recurring charge.

Access Methods and Charges:

- a) Dial-1 Access: TUSA TalkSmarter USA can be used for Dial-1 access. Customers will be charged the following rates for intrastate (interLATA and intraLATA) dial-1 usage. Customers may place these calls 24 hours a day and 7 days a week.

Maximum Interstate & intrastate (InterLATA & IntraLATA) per minute charge: \$0.15

- b) Calling Card: TUSA TalkSmarter USA Calling Card access is available for origination from touch tone or rotary phones by dialing an MCI provided 800 number. Customers will be charged a maximum per minute rate of \$0.30 for all time periods for all intrastate calling card calls which terminate to the customers billed ANI. No per call surcharge will apply to these calls. All other calls will be charged a per-minute rate of \$0.89 for all intraLATA and interLATA calling card calls. No per call surcharge will apply to these calls.

- c) Personal 800 Number: Personal 800 is non-applicable to customers who subscribe to this service.

- d) Directory Assistance/Directory Assistance Call Completion:

Maximum Directory Assistance: \$3.98

Maximum Directory Assistance Call Completion per Call Charge: \$0.70

- e) Operator Assistance: The following rate should be found in Section H.

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SECTION IV
MAXIMUM RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)

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Maximum RatesInterLATA

	<u>Day</u>		<u>Evening</u>		<u>Night/Weekend</u>	
	Initial	Add'l	Initial	Add'l	Initial	Add'l
0-10	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000
11-16	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000
17-22	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000
23-30	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000
31-55	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000
56-70	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000
71-124	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000
125+	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000

IntraLATA

	<u>Day</u>		<u>Evening</u>		<u>Night/Weekend</u>	
	Initial	Add'l	Initial	Add'l	Initial	Add'l
1-10	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000
11-16	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000
17-22	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000
23-30	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000
31-40	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000
41-55	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000
56-70	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000
71-124	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000
125-196	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000
197+	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000	\$0.4000

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION V
CURRENT RATESA. Current Call Charges:

1. Basic Service rates for week day periods are as following:

<u>Rate</u> <u>Mileage</u>	<u>Initial</u> <u>Minute</u>	<u>Each Add'l</u> <u>Minute</u>
0-10	\$0.2304	\$0.1248
11-16	0.2400	0.1344
17-22	0.2880	0.1824
23-30	0.3264	0.2304
31-40	0.3360	0.2304
41-55	0.3360	0.2304
56-70	0.3456	0.2592
71-124	0.3648	0.2880
125-196	0.3936	0.3072
197+	0.3936	0.3073

2. Discounts

a) Time of Day:

- i. Evening: 23% from weekday rates (5 P.M. to 11 P.M. except Saturdays)
- ii. Night and Weekend: 45% from weekday rates (11 P.M. to 8 A.M. plus all day Saturday and Sunday until 5 P.M.)

b) Holidays:

Carrier recognized Holidays: Evening rate discounts will apply to all calls placed through the Carrier on Carrier recognized national Holidays except when a lower rate would normally apply. Carrier recognized holidays are listed in Section I, under Definitions.

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SECTION V
CURRENT RATESA. CURRENT CALL CHARGES (Continued):

2. Discounts (continued):

c) Billing Volume:

A discount* is applicable to the total monthly billing amount for long distance calling as specified below.

Under certain Equal Access circumstances where the customer's billing for usage of the Carrier's basic long distance service is provided by a local telephone company, billing volume discounts will not apply.

<u>Monthly Billing Volume</u>	<u>Cumulative Discount</u>		
	<u>Day</u>	<u>Evening</u>	<u>Night</u>
\$ -0- to \$ 50.00	0%	0%	0%
Over \$ 50.00 to \$ 100.00	1%	1%	0%
Over \$ 100.00 to \$ 150.00	3%	1%	1%
Over \$ 150.00 to \$ 500.00	4%	2%	1%
Over \$ 500.00 to \$ 750.00	6%	2%	1%
Over \$ 750.00 to \$1000.00	8%	2%	1%
Over \$1000.00	10%	2%	1%

* Billing volume discounts are applied per call based upon the time of day period in which the call is originated.

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SECTION V
CURRENT RATES (Continued)

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SECTION V
CURRENT RATES (Continued)B. Current *USA Card Travel Services Rates 1/

a) Annual Subscription Fee

- i. Option 2 \$0
- ii. Option 1 \$10.00

b) Usage Rates - Per Minute

<u>Mileage</u>	<u>Initial Minute</u>		<u>Additional Minute</u>			
	<u>Day</u>	<u>Evening</u>	<u>N/W</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Evening</u>	<u>N/W</u>
1-10	.1800	.1206	.0936	.1700	.1139	.0884
11-22	.2100	.1407	.1092	.2000	.1340	.1040
23-55	.2300	.1541	.1196	.2200	.1474	.1144
56-124	.2300	.1541	.1196	.2200	.1474	.1144
125-292	.2300	.1541	.1196	.2300	.1541	.1196
293-430	.2400	.1608	.1248	.2300	.1541	.1196
431-925	.2400	.1608	.1248	.2400	.1608	.1248
926-1910	.2500	.1675	.1300	.2500	.1675	.1300
1911-3000	.2500	.1675	.1300	.2500	.1675	.1300
3001-4250	.3100	.2077	.1612	.3000	.2010	.1560
4251-5750	.3300	.2211	.1716	.3200	.2144	.1664

c) Service Fees - Charges apply in addition to applicable usage charges.

- i. Calls placed through *USA Card Direct
Dialing.....per call \$.60

1/ Effective January 1, 1995, *USA Card Travel Services will no longer be available to new subscribers.

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SECTION V
CURRENT RATES (Continued)B. Current *USA Card Travel Services Rates (Continued)

c) Services Fees (continued)

- ii. Calls placed with operator assistance are subject to operator service fees as specified below.

*USA Card Operator charges apply on a per call and per service basis.

	<u>Per Call or Service</u>
a) Collect Station to Station	\$1.25
b) Person to Person	\$3.00
c) Directory Assistance	\$.60
iii.	Rates and charges for enhanced services are established by the carrier and are not subject to the regulation of the South Carolina Public Service Commission.

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SECTION V
CURRENT RATES (Continued)C. DIRECTORY ASSISTANCE CHARGE:

Directory assistance charge for calls placed by the customer to other carrier's Directory Assistance Service. Calls so placed are billed to the Carrier by the other carrier as are local access charges for customer call origination and termination. The charge shown below is applied to recover these costs. The Directory Assistance charge applies to each call regardless of whether or not the Directory Assistance operator is able to furnish the requested telephone number.

Directory Assistance Charge per call (one request per call)	\$ 1.99
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D. "900" and "976" RATES AND CHARGES:

"900" and "976" calls placed through the Carrier's service will be blocked.

E. AUTHORIZATION CODE AND RATES:

First code	no charge
Additional codes up to 5, per code, per month	\$1.00
Additional codes over 5, per code, per month	\$.50

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SECTION V
CURRENT RATES (Continued)F. ENHANCED SERVICES RATES AND CHARGES:

1. Project Accounting Code Service rates,
per month \$10.00
2. Speed Number Service rates and charges,
Monthly rate -0-
Speed number service installation
charge per speed number \$.50
Minimum charge \$ 5.00
Charge for changing speed
numbers, per change \$ 1.00
3. Management Report Service rates
Departmental Billing (Level 1)
per month \$10.00
Called Number Analysis (Level 2)
per month \$10.00
Customized Billing (Level 3)
Special quote as filed in Section E.

G. REESTABLISHMENT OF SERVICE CHARGE:

If a customer's service is disconnected for nonpayment of a sum due to the Carrier, a one time charge will be billed to the customer, upon receipt of payment in full and reconnection of service.

Reestablishment of service charge \$10.00

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SECTION V
CURRENT RATES (Continued)

H. OPERATOR SERVICE:

- A)
- Surcharges:
- The following per call surcharges are applicable to all calls falling under Classifications A) through G) as described in Section III above.

	<u>Per Call</u>	
1. Station to Station	\$1.75	<u>1/</u>
2. Person to Person	\$ 3.49	<u>1/</u>
3. LEC/Commercial Credit Card Billed	\$.80	
4. Operator Dialed	\$.74	
5. Third Party Billed	\$ 3.45	<u>1/</u>

- B) The following per minute usage rates apply to all calls falling under Classifications A) through G) as described in Section III above.

<u>MILEAGE</u> <u>BAND</u>	<u>Business Day</u>		<u>Evening</u>		<u>Night & Weekend</u>	
	<u>1st Min.</u>	<u>Add'l Min.</u>	<u>1st Min.</u>	<u>Add'l Min.</u>	<u>1st Min.</u>	<u>Add'l Min.</u>
0 - 10	\$.3100	\$.3100	\$.3100	\$.3100	\$.3100	\$.3100
11 - 16	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100
17 - 22	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100
23 - 30	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100
31 - 55	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100
56 - 70	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100
71 - 124	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100
125+	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100	.3100

- C) Per Call Client Surcharge Up to \$1.00

1/ For calls falling under classification (d) above, or non-payphone originated classification (e) calls made by Casual Callers an additional surcharge of a maximum \$6.00 and a current \$2.50 will apply.

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION V
CURRENT RATES (Continued)I. T*USA Connect Service

- a)
- Per-Minute Usage Rates:
- The following per-minute usage rates will apply to all calls placed within the subscriber's home NPA.

<u>Mileage</u>	<u>Business Day</u>		<u>Evening</u>		<u>Night & Weekend</u>	
	<u>1st Min</u>	<u>Add'l Min</u>	<u>1st Min</u>	<u>Add'l Min</u>	<u>1st Min</u>	<u>Add'l Min</u>
1-10	\$.2300	\$.1287	\$.1700	\$.0965	\$.1340	\$.0772
11-16	.2400	.1386	.1775	.1040	.1400	.0832
17-22	.2700	.1880	.1820	.1410	.1500	.1129
23-30	.2850	.2376	.1900	.1780	.1550	.1426
31-55	.2900	.2376	.1900	.1782	.1550	.1426
56-70	.3050	.2673	.2040	.2005	.1660	.1604
71-124	.3100	.2871	.2150	.2150	.1723	.1723
125-Over	.3300	.3168	.2375	.2375	.1890	.1890

Calls made from within a subscriber's home NPA and placed with the assistance of an operator will be subject to the operator service fees as specified below.

Surcharge Per Call

- | | | |
|----|--------------------|--------|
| 1. | Station-to-Station | \$1.25 |
| 2. | Person-to-Person | \$2.50 |

- b) Subscribers placing calls from outside their home NPA will be billed the rates and surcharges for *USA Card Travel Service listed in Section V herein.

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SECTION V
CURRENT RATES (Continued)J. SMARTminutes: 1/Option A:

Per Minute Usage Rate:

\$0.15 during all time of day rate periods

Option B:

Per Minute Usage Rates:

\$0.15 during all time of day rate periods Monday - Friday

SMARTminutes Calling Card - Customers will be charged \$0.25 per minute for all SMARTminutes calling card calls that originate and terminate within the state. A surcharge of \$0.75 per call will apply.

All SMARTminutes calls will be billed in one-minute increments.

K. SMARTminutes for business: 2/

Monthly Fee: \$5.00

Per-Minute Usage Rates:

\$0.28 during all time of day rate periods for outbound calls other than those billed to a calling card.

\$0.28 during all time of day rate periods for outbound calls billed to a calling card. (A surcharge of \$1.20 per call will apply.)

\$0.28 during all time of day rate periods for inbound calls.

Customers subscribing to inbound service will be charged \$5.95 per month per 800 number.

1/ Beginning on November 13, 1998, this service will no longer be available to new customers.

2/ Beginning on April 17, 1997, this service will no longer be available to new customers.

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SECTION V
CURRENT RATES (Continued)L. SMARTminutes Advantage: 1/

Per Minute Usage Rate: \$0.095 during all time of day rate periods

Monthly Fee: \$5.00

All SMARTminutes Advantage calls are subject to an initial one-minute duration with additional one-minute increments.

M. SMARTminutes Toll Free: 2/

Per Minute Usage Rates: \$0.19 for all time of day rate periods for US outbound and inbound calls.

Calling Card Rate: \$0.23 Per Minute

A surcharge of \$1.20 per call will apply to all calls billed to a calling card.

Monthly Fee: \$12.00

All SMARTminutes Toll Free calls are subject to a full minute rounding after the initial first minute increment.

1/ Beginning on November 13, 1998, this service will no longer be available to new customers.

2/ Beginning on April 17, 1997, this service will no longer be available to new customers.

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SECTION V
CURRENT RATES (Continued)N. SMARTminutes Buy Down: 1/

Per Minute Usage Rates: \$0.19 for all time of day rate periods for US outbound and inbound calls.

Calling Card Rate: \$0.23 per minute

A surcharge of \$1.20 per call will apply to all calls billed to a calling card.

Monthly Fee: \$7.50

All SMARTminutes Buy Down calls are subject to a full minute rounding after the initial first minute increment.

O. 10-10-321 PlanInterLATA

	<u>Day</u>		<u>Evening</u>		<u>Night/Weekend</u>	
	Initial	Add'l	Initial	Add'l	Initial	Add'l
0-10	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000
11-16	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000
17-22	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000
23-30	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000
31-55	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000
56-70	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000
71-124	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000
125+	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000

IntraLATA

	<u>Day</u>		<u>Evening</u>		<u>Night/Weekend</u>	
	Initial	Add'l	Initial	Add'l	Initial	Add'l
1-10	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000
11-16	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000
17-22	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000
23-30	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000
31-40	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000
41-55	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000
56-70	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000
71-124	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000
125-196	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000
197+	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000	\$0.2000

P. 10-10-220 Plan

The customer will be charged \$.99 for the first 15 minutes (or any portion thereof) of usage per call and \$.15 per minute for each minute of usage thereafter.

Q. 1010987 Calling

Customers who access SouthernNet services by dialing Company carrier identification code (CIC) 1010987 will be charged i) a per-call surcharge of \$0.46 and ii) \$0.03 per minute for each minute of intrastate (interLATA and intraLATA) usage, excluding calls to Operator Services and Directory Assistance.

1/ Beginning on April 17, 1997, this service will no longer be available to new customers.

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SECTION V
CURRENT RATES (Continued)R. TUSA TalkSmarter Block-of-Time 500

TUSA TalkSmarter 500 is an outbound and inbound service designed primarily for residential customers. TUSA TalkSmarter 500 includes a block of time structure with a flat rate structure for Dial 1 calls made outside the block-of-time allotment, and a flat rate structure for calling card service. No term plan options will apply to this service. All intrastate Dial-1 calls and calling card calls will have a 60 second rounding. If the computed charge includes a fraction of a cent, the fraction is rounded down to the nearest whole cent. A monthly charge will apply to this service.

Monthly Account Fees: Customers enrolled in this plan will be charged a \$15.00 monthly recurring charge.

Access Methods and Charges:

a) Dial-1 Access: TUSA TalkSmarter Block-of-Time 500 can be used for Dial-1 access. Customers will receive an allotment of up to 500 minutes per monthly period that may be used for interstate and intrastate (interLATA and intraLATA) dial-1 usage. TUSA TalkSmarter Block-of-Time 500 customers will be charged the following rates for each minute of usage over the allotment. Customers may place these calls 24 hours a day and 7 days a week.

Interstate & intrastate (InterLATA & IntraLATA) per minute charge: \$0.03

b) Calling Card: TUSA TalkSmarter Block-of-Time 500 Calling Card access is available for origination from touch tone or rotary phones by dialing an MCI provided 800 number. Customers will be charged a per minute rate of \$0.15 for all time periods for all intrastate calling card calls which terminate to the customers billed ANI. No per call surcharge will apply to these calls. All other calls will be charged a per minute rate of \$0.89 for all intraLATA and interLATA calling card calls. No per call surcharge will apply to these calls.

c) Personal 800 Number: Personal 800 is non-applicable to customers who subscribe to this service.

d) Directory Assistance/Directory Assistance Call Completion:

Directory Assistance: \$1.99

Directory Assistance Call Completion Per Call Charge: \$0.35

e) Operator Assistance: The following rates should be found in Section H.

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION V
CURRENT RATES (Continued)S. TUSA TalkSmarter USA

TUSA TalkSmarter USA is an outbound and inbound service designed primarily for residential customers. TUSA TalkSmarter USA includes a flat rate structure for Dial 1, and calling card service. No term plan options will apply to this service. All intrastate Dial-1 calls will have 60 second rounding for the first minute and 6 second for each additional minute. Intrastate Callings Card calls will have 60 second rounding. If the computed charge includes a fraction of a cent, the fraction is rounded down to the nearest whole cent. A monthly charge will apply to this service.

Monthly Account Fees: Customers enrolled in this plan will be charged a \$4.95 monthly recurring charge.

Access Methods and Charges:

- b) Dial-1 Access: TUSA TalkSmarter USA can be used for Dial-1 access. Customers will be charged the following rates for intrastate (interLATA and intraLATA) dial-1 usage. Customers may place these calls 24 hours a day and 7 days a week.

Interstate & intrastate (InterLATA & IntraLATA) per minute charge: \$0.05

- b) Calling Card: TUSA TalkSmarter USA Calling Card access is available for origination from touch tone or rotary phones by dialing an MCI provided 800 number. Customers will be charged a per minute rate of \$0.15 for all time periods for all intrastate calling card calls which terminate to the customers billed ANI. No per call surcharge will apply to these calls. All other calls will be charged a per-minute rate of \$0.89 for all intraLATA and interLATA calling card calls. No per call surcharge will apply to these calls.

- c) Personal 800 Number: Personal 800 is non-applicable to customers who subscribe to this service.

- e) Directory Assistance/Directory Assistance Call Completion:

Directory Assistance: \$1.99

Directory Assistance Call Completion Per Call Charge: \$0.35

- e) Operator Assistance: The following rate should be found in Section H.

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION V
CURRENT RATES (Continued)T. Basic Services

Basic Service is a one-way, dial -out multipoint service that allows customers to originate and terminate intrastate (interLATA and intraLATA) calls via Company-provided local business telephone lines. Subscribers to Basic Service may originate calls only in the city or cities in which they maintain an active Basic Service account. Basic Service calls are rounded to the next higher full minute.

Per Minute Usage Charges: The following per minute rates will apply to all Basic Service calls:

Peak-	7am - 6:59pm	Monday - Friday
Off-Peak	7pm - 6:59am	Monday - Friday and 12 am - 11:59 pm Saturday and Sundays.

(A) InterLATA	<u>Current Rate</u>	<u>Maximum Rate</u>
<u>Peak</u>	\$0.35	\$0.70
<u>Off-Peak</u>	\$0.25	\$0.50
(B) IntraLATA		
<u>Peak</u>	\$0.24	\$0.48
<u>Off-Peak</u>	\$0.09	\$0.18

GENERAL SUBSCRIBER BASIC SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION VI
SPECIAL SERVICESA. General:

1. Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges:

The services, rates and charges provided in the Company's tariffs contemplate the use of service and facilities in quantities and types regularly furnished by the Company. Where service or facilities are requested with which are not provided for in the Company's applicable tariffs, rates and charges will apply based upon the cost of furnishing such service or facilities practical to provide the service requested. The customer will, in every instance of the furnishing of Special Services, be advised by the Company of the applicability of such rates and charges which are in addition to the rates and charges specified elsewhere in the company applicable tariffs. The customer must approve of the requested Special Services applicability prior to commencement of provisioning of the requested service (s) by the Company.

- a) Where at the customer's request the Company must obtain facilities and equipment, including signaling and conditioning capabilities, or other features necessary for compatibility with customer provided equipment and the Company's facilities and service, which is not normally required or provided by the Company, rates and charges will be applicable as state above.
- b) The basis for Special Services rates and charges will be the cost of furnishing the customer requested service (s) including, but not limited to, the costs of operating and maintaining the service (s), costs for material and equipment used specifically in providing the service (s), and costs of installation, including engineering, labor, supervision and transportation.

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SECTION VI
SPECIAL SERVICESA. General (Continued):

2. Non Routine Installation and/or Maintenance

The rates and charges specified in the Company's tariffs contemplate and all work in connection with furnishing or rearranging service be performed during regular working hours and within normal work intervals. Whenever a customer requests that work necessarily required for the furnishing or rearrangement of the customer's service be performed outside the Company's regular working hours; or that the Company expedites the installation or rearrangement of service; or that work once begun be interrupted, so that the Company incurs costs that would not otherwise have been incurred, the customer may be required to pay, in addition to other rates and charges specified in the Company's applicable tariffs, the amount of additional costs incurred by the Company as a result of the customer's special requirements.

- a) Special Services rates and charges applicable for non-routine installation and maintenance performed outside of regular business hours will be based on costs for actual labor materials and any other costs clearly incurred by or billed to the Company.
- b) If installation and/or routine maintenance is performed during regular business hours and at the customer's request extends beyond regular business hours in order to complete the task, and this Special Service charges may apply. Such stand-by in excess of one hour, weekend, holiday or night time cutover, and additional testing in excess of the normal testing required to provide the service.